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SUBJECT: NUCLEAR POWERED WARSHIP VISITS

REF: (A) TUNIS 3061, (B) TUNIS 2609, (C) OPNAVINST 3L28.3K

1L (S) WE CONCUR WITH PLAN TO SUBMIT REQUEST FOR SSN 18-21
MAY VISIT TO BIZERTE IN NORMAL ROUTINE MANNER AS PROPOSED
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2. (S) IN VIEW OF PAST HISTORY OF NO DIFFERENTIATION BY

GOT BETWEEN CONVENTIONAL AND NPW VISITS, WE PREFER APPROACH OUTLINED PARA 4 OF REFTTEL B. AS YOU POINT OUT BATES VISIT WILL GIVE US FURTHER OPPORTUNITY TO DETERMINE IF GOT NPW POLICY CONTINUES. IF PROBLEMS ARISE CONCERNING THIS VISIT THEN WE MAY WISH TO RECONSIDER ADVANCE NOTIFICATION OF NP SURFACE WARSHIP VISITS TO TUNISIAN PORTS.

3. (S) TENTATIVE NAVY PLANS INCLUDE A 7 TO 12 AUGUST TUNIS VISIT BY USS SOUTH CAROLINA (CGN-37) AND A 15 TO 18 JAN 77 BIZERTE VISIT BY USS CALIFORNIA (CGN-36). SOME ADDITIONAL VISITS MAY BE DESIRED IF EFFORTS TO GAIN ACCESS TO OTHER MED COUNTRIES ARE NOT SUCCESSFUL. NAVY WILL SUBMIT SPECIFIC REQUESTS IAW REF C WHEN PLANS ARE FIRM.

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